AWIPS INFORMATION NOTE 17 (for Electronic Systems Analysts)

Maintenance Logistics & Acquisition Division

W/OPS1: JCS

SUBJECT: AWIPS HP Workstations (WS) disposal instructions

PURPOSE: To provide guidance for disposing HP workstations.

AFFECTED SITES: All AWIPS sites replacing HP with Linux workstations.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT: For questions or problems regarding these instructions, please

contact Jagdish Sharma at 301-713-1833 x128 or your regional

property custodian.

GENERAL

AWIPS sites replacing HP with Linux workstations by approval of the AWIPS Configuration Change Request and as instructed by OPS1 Modification Note 15 or 15 Revision A, can remove old HP workstations from service. Sites are discouraged from retaining the old HP workstations on the AWIPS LAN. If they really must have them, then a Request-for-change (RC) for a new IP address must be submitted and approved (RC forms can be found at http://rclist.noaa3.awips.noaa.gov). A cable to connect to the new LAN (not the current FDDI ring connection) is also needed, and maintenance is the site's responsibility.

Replaced HP workstations are no longer needed by the AWIPS program and are deemed excess according to Federal Management Regulation (FMR) 102-36.30. Since this property may be useful to other agencies or organizations external to the government, complete form SF 120 and report the excess property to GSA for possible transfer to eligible recipients.

NOTE: Since each NWS region has their own disposal procedures, these instructions only provide general guidelines for disposing HP workstations. Please refer specific property questions to your Regional Property Managers.

INFORMATION

Information and instructions outlined in this note were taken from the MASC Personal Property Handbook.

A. Instructions for Completing Report of Excess Personal Property SF 120

These instructions are provided to help fill out form SF 120, Report of Excess Personal Property. A sample SF 120 is provided in attachment A.

Block Number	Information
1	Leave blank
2	Enter date prepared
3	Total cost of items listed
4	Original
5	Address of region's GSA office
6	Leave Blank
7	Enter address shown in attachment A
8	Name and title of Custodial Property Officer
9	Individual most knowledgeable of item(s). Be sure to include both commercial and FTS telephone numbers
10	Custodial Property Officer's Signature
11	Custodial Property Officer's mailing address
12	Leave blank
13	FSC Class (first four digits of the property code). Do not mingle on one form items having different FSC Classes
14	Building, street address, etc., where the property is located and can be inspected. You may annotate same as Block 9 only if the address in Block 9 is also the property location
15	No

Block Number	Information
16	Optional for use of Custodial Property Officer
17	Leave blank
18a	Consecutive numbers for all line items in the report, beginning with "1"
18b	Describe each line item in detail - name of manufacturer, model, stock numbers, part numbers, etc. All of the information specified in 3.B.(3) above must be included in this block. Also be sure to include SID Number(s).
18c	Condition Code If condition cannot be accurately described by code, elaborate in Column (b).
18d	Unit Indicate the type of unit. This will usually be "EA" (each).
18e	Number of Units A line item may include a quantity of more than one only if all items bear the same description (except for serial and SID numbers) and are in the same condition.
18f	Per Unit Acquisition Cost Indicate the per unit acquisition cost.
18g	Enter total cost
18h	Leave blank

MAINTENANCE REPORTING

If the HP workstations were disposed of while completing AWIPS Modification Note 15 or 15 Revision A, then there is no requirement to report this action separately. If disposal occurs after AWIPS Mod Note 15 or 15 Revision A have been reported, then report the disposal action using the Engineering Management Reporting System (EMRS) according to the instructions in NWS Instruction 30-2104, Maintenance Documentation, Part 4, and Appendix F. A sample EMRS Report is included as Attachment B. As an additional guide, use the information in the table below:

Block #	Block Type	Information
5	Description	Remove old AWIPS HP workstations from service
7	Equipment Code	AWIPS
8	Serial Number	001
15	Comments	Removed old HP workstations I.A.W. Information Note 17
17a	Mod. No.	117

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Attachment A - Sample SF 120 form, Report of Excess Personal Property Attachment B - EMRS Report Sample

Attachment A - Sample SF 120 form

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3. TOTAL COST \$ 36,802.00
B. CVERSEAS
f. CONTRACTORS IN
BE REIMBURSED (if any)
N/A
Y (Name and Title)
(if applicable)
17. SURPLUS RELEASE DATE
Unic
N COST FAIR
TOTAL %
(g) (h)
32,432.00
3,200.00
3,200.00
1,170.00

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Attachment B - Sample EMRS Report

